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## Viewing cable 07BUCHAREST443, SENIOR PSD DEPUTY HREBENCIUC: WE HAVE THE VOTES TO SUSPEND, ALTHOUGH I'D RATHER NOT

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SUBJECT: SENIOR PSD DEPUTY HREBENCIUC: WE HAVE THE VOTES TO SUSPEND, ALTHOUGH I'D RATHER NOT

Classified By: DCM Mark Taplin for 1.4(b) and (d)

1. (C) Summary: Senior PSD political strategist Viorel Hrebenciuc confirmed that the clock has begun ticking on the process that will result in the resignation of President Basescu.
  2. (C) In a meeting with DCM and Polcouns April 17, Social Democratic Party (PSD) Deputy and senior party strategist Viorel Hrebenciuc confirmed that the clock has begun ticking on the process that will result in the resignation of President Basescu.
  3. (C) Hrebenciuc said that the PNL was, if anything, even more determined than the PSD to remove Baescu. He said that he had heard from PNL officials that they were planning to force new Presidential elections if he was not removed.
  4. (C) Hrebenciuc opined that President Basescu was intent on carrying out his threat to resign and force new Presidential elections if he was not removed.
  5. (C) Hrebenciuc acknowledged that he was loath to see Geoana take on Basescu in a one-on-one Presidential contest, since a Geoana loss would result in the resignation of President Basescu.
  6. (C) Hrebenciuc insisted that President Basescu could put an end to the crisis immediately if he were to make a statement calling for the resignation of President Basescu.
  7. (C) Comment: The meeting was at Hrebenciuc's request, and he was at turns both illuminating and elliptical in his comments. While he has been clear that he is not a fan of President Basescu, he has also made it clear that he is not a fan of President Geoana.
- TAUBMAN